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## 24-HOUR REPORT

**10 AUGUST 2016**

### (U) CALIFORNIA

#### (U) Nevada County—Manhunt for Suspect after Search Volunteer Shot

(U) A search-and-rescue volunteer was shot last night while they and two colleagues were searching for a missing 75-year-old hiker in the Yuba River canyon, around 65 miles northeast of Sacramento. The victim, whose identity and condition is unknown, was airlifted to the hospital while tactical units from Nevada County and neighboring Placer County began searching for the shooter. Neither the suspect nor the missing hiker has been found.

SOURCE: 10 August 2016, [NBC News](#)

### (U) NATIONAL

#### (U) Missouri—Gunfire Erupts at Protest Marking Michael Brown Anniversary

(U) Ferguson—Gunfire broke out during a protest marking the second anniversary of the death of Michael Brown, although no one appeared to be wounded. The shooting occurred after a car hit a protester during an evening march along a major street in Ferguson. Shortly after he was hit, a number of protesters began chasing the car, pulling out guns and firing them as they did so, witnesses said. A Ferguson Police spokesman said it appeared that the car driver had not intended to knock over the protester.

SOURCE: 10 August 2016, [BBC](#)

#### (U) Tennessee—Man Charged in Fatal Shooting of Special Agent

(U) Jackson—A special agent with the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation (TBI) was shot to death yesterday during an undercover drug investigation in West Tennessee. A TBI spokesman said in a news release that De'Greau Frazier was working with other agents and narcotics officers on a drug investigation when he met a person for a controlled buy in a car in Jackson. The person pulled out a gun in an apparent robbery attempt and fired, hitting the agent, who later died at the hospital. The 23-year-old shooter was placed in custody and charged with murder.

SOURCE: 10 August 2016, [Associated Press](#)

#### (U) Texas—Infant Dies from Travel-Related Zika Virus

(U) Houston—Texas reported its first Zika-related death yesterday after a baby girl whose mother traveled to El Salvador while pregnant died shortly after birth in a suburban Houston hospital. The death, which occurred a few weeks ago, was the second Zika-related death in the US, with the first fatality being that of an elderly man who suffered from additional health conditions. Texas has reported 97 Zika cases, all contracted during travel abroad.

SOURCE: 10 August 2016, [Associated Press](#)

### (U) INTERNATIONAL

#### (U) Germany—Police Detain Asylum-Seeker Suspected of Plotting Terrorist Attack

(U) Berlin—A German special police unit has detained a Syrian asylum-seeker who they said they

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suspected of plotting a terrorist attack during the opening of the national soccer league season, German officials said yesterday. Officers from the special unit arrested the 24-year-old suspect on 5 August in the city of Mutterstadt after authorities in Duisburg received a tip about a possible attack. German officials would not confirm reports that the suspect had links to the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant but said that the investigation was continuing.

SOURCE: 9 August 2016, [New York Times](#)

**(U) United Kingdom—US-Based Drug Dealers #1 in Online Drug Sales, Says Study**

(U) Cambridge—US drug dealers make up 36% of the online drug market, according to research conducted in January by Rand Europe. Commissioned by the Netherlands government, the research company trawled the eight largest drug marketplaces on the dark web and found that drug deals had tripled since 2013, with US-based dealers leading the market share with \$5 million in sales. The United Kingdom came in second with 16.1% and Australia came in third with 10.6%

SOURCE: 8 August 2016, [BBC](#)

**(U) Vietnam—Government Moves Rocket Launchers into Disputed South China Sea**

(U) Hanoi— Vietnam has discreetly fortified several of its islands in the disputed South China Sea with new mobile rocket launchers capable of striking China's runways and military installations across the vital trade route, according to Western officials. Several sources state that the launchers have been hidden from aerial surveillance and have yet to be armed, but Vietnam's Foreign Ministry said the information was "inaccurate", without elaborating. The move is designed to counter China's build-up—including what appears to be reinforced aircraft hangars—on its seven reclaimed islands in the South China Sea.

SOURCE: 10 August 2016, [Reuters](#)

**(U) SOUTHWEST BORDER**

**(U) California—Child Molestor Caught Trying to Enter US Illegally**

(U) Jacumba Hot Springs—A previously convicted child molestor was caught trying to illegally cross into the United States near Jacumba Hot Springs on 8 August, authorities said yesterday. US Border Patrol agents saw three people climb over the border fence in the area and found the men hiding in thick brush. Records showed that one of the men previously served a six-year prison sentence for child molestation in the US before being deported, customs officials said. The 43-year-old man faces federal charges.

SOURCE: 9 August 2016, [San Diego Union-Tribune](#)

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